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BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS
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Ex parte FREDRICK W. TRAFTON and SUJANTO GUNAWAN

Application 10/646,854
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Before Krista Zele, *Chief Deputy Appeals Administrator*.

ZELE, *Chief Deputy Appeals Administrator*.

ORDER RETURNING UNDOCKETED APPEAL

This application was electronically received by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences on March 24, 2008. A review of the application revealed that it is not ready for docketing as an appeal. Accordingly, the application is herewith being returned to the Examiner to address the following matter(s) requiring attention prior to docketing.

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On November 30, 2007 a Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief and Amendment After Final were filed along with a Renewed Petition to Accept Unintentionally Delayed Claim for Priority. While the Petition was answered, it is not clear from the record if the Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief and Amendment were considered by the examiner. Appropriate action is required.

Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that the application is returned to the Examiner to consider the Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief and Amendment of November 30, 2007, and for such further action that may be appropriate.

If there are any questions pertaining to this Order, please contact the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences at 571-272-9797

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